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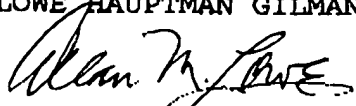
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Sir:

Approval of the changes made to Figure 2, as shown in red ink on the attached photocopy, is courteously solicited.

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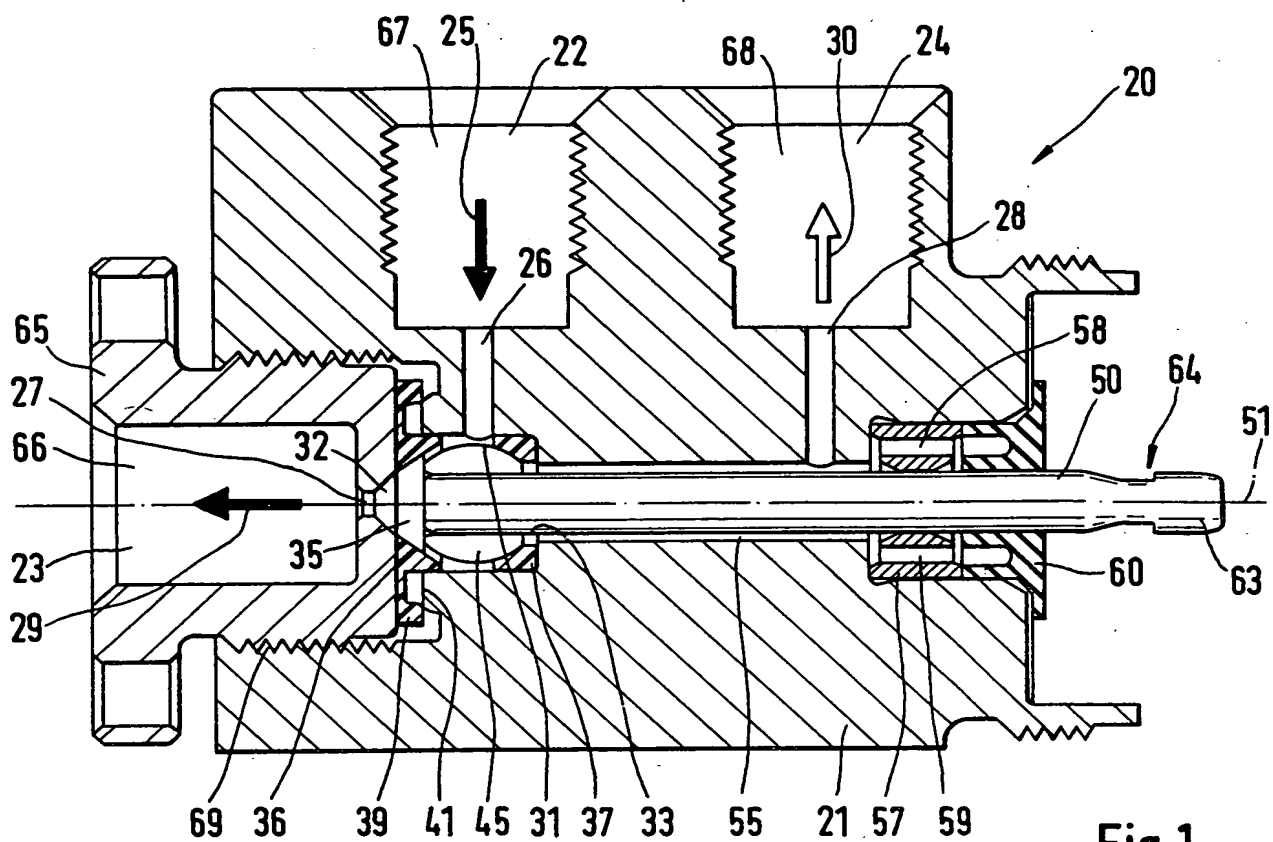


Fig. 1

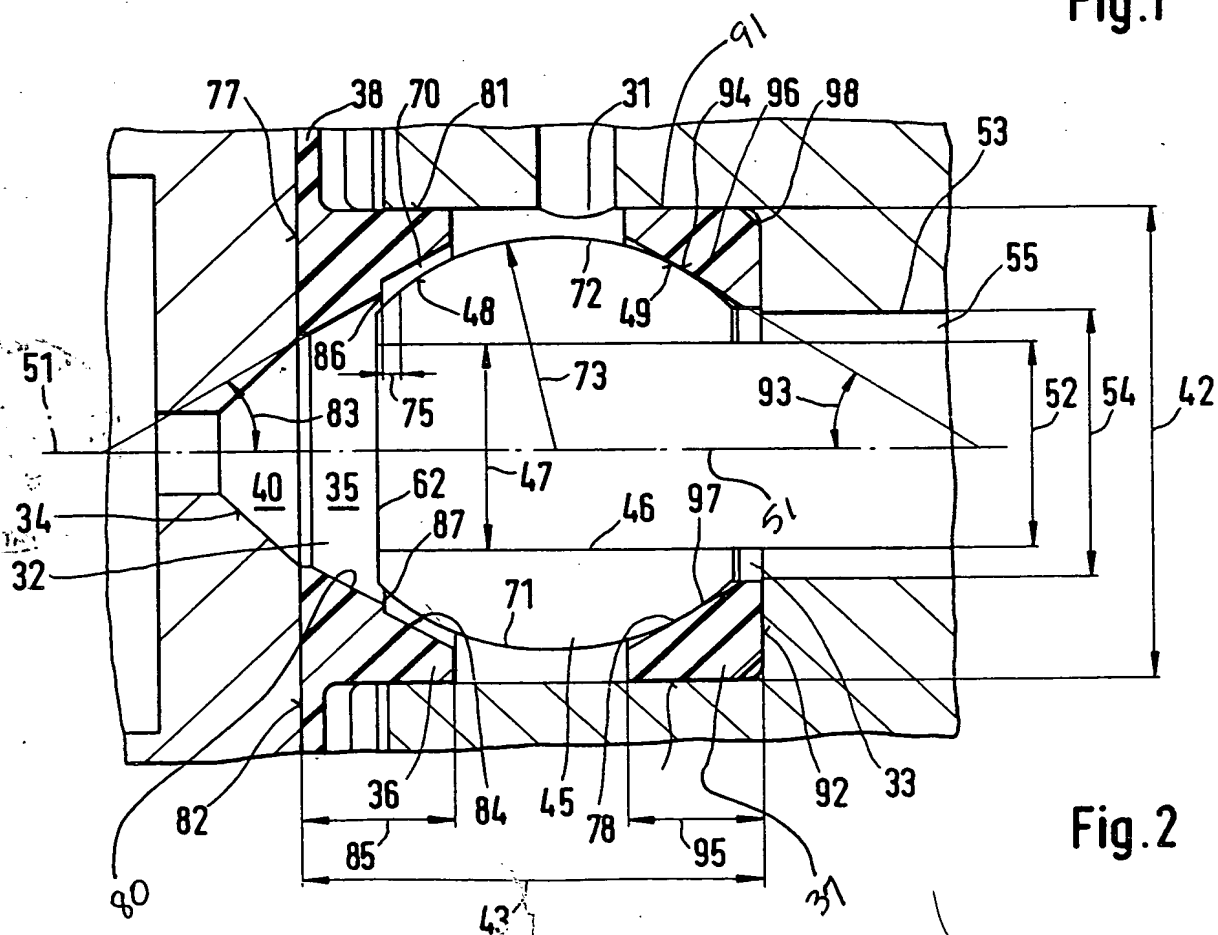


Fig. 2